GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Panchayat Raj & Rural Development Department – Sub-authentication User Agency (SUB–AUA)/KYC User Agency (SUB-KUA) Services- Performance of Aadhar Authentication, on voluntary basis under section 4(4)(b)(II) of Aadhar Act, 2016 for verification of Property owner, using "YES/NO" or/and E-KYC authentication facility, while confirming the details of the property in Record of Rights - Approval – Orders – Issued.

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PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (PTS-II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms. No.17 **Date. 07/03/2024**

Read the following:-

1. From the Dy. Secretary, GoI, Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology, New Delhi letter eF.No.13(4)/2020-EG- II(Vol-13), dated 28.8.2023.
2. From the Commissioner, PR & RD, A.P. Note in File No: PRR01-PR0PMIS/146/2023-RGSA-PMU Computer No: 2161378, dated:15.12.2023.

ORDER:

The Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY), Government of India has conveyed the authorization for the Government of Andhra Pradesh vide eF.No.13(4)/2020-EG-II(Vol-13) to notify under rule 5 of the Aadhaar Authentication for Good Governance (Social Welfare, Innovation, Knowledge) Rules , 2020 read with sub clause(ii)of clause(b) of sub-section(4) of section 4 of Aadhaar (Targeted Delivery of Financial and Other Subsidies, Benefits and Services) Act, 2016 the performance of Aadhaar authentication, on a voluntary basis, for verification of property owner, using Yes/No or/and e-KYC authentication facility, while informing the details of the property in 'Record of Rights'.

The following notification will be published in the Andhra Pradesh State Gazette Dated -03-2024.

NOTIFICATION

Whereas, the Panchayat Raj & Rural Development Department Government of Andhra Pradesh is appointed as Sub Authentication User Agency (Sub-AUA) / KYC User Agency (Sub- KUA) to the Information Technology, Electronics & Communications Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh (APTS) to perform Aadhaar Authentication, on a voluntary basis under the Aadhar Authentication for Good Governance (Social Welfare, Innovation, Knowledge) Rules, 2020 read with section 4(4)(b)(ii) of the Aadhaar (Targeted Delivery of Financial and other Subsidies, Benefits and Services) Act, 2016, for the purpose of validation of beneficiaries i.e. for verification of property owner, using Yes/No or/and e-KYC authentication facility, while informing the details of the property in 'Record of Rights web and mobile application of Panchayat Raj & Rural Development Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh by adhering to the following information for the use of Aadhaar Authentication, as conveyed by the Unique Identification Authority of India:

Now, therefore, in pursuance of sub clause(ii) of clause(b) of sub- section(4) of section 4 of Aadhaar (Targeted Delivery of Financial and Other Subsidies, Benefits and Services) Act, 2016 (Act 18 of 2016) the Government of Andhra Pradesh hereby notifies as the following namely:-

1. The instant approval is for both 'Yes/No' authentication and e-KYC authentication facilities. Information Technology, Electronics & Communication Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh (APTS) shall be the Authenticating User Agency (AUA)/KYC User Agency (KUA) for the purpose.

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2. The informed consent of the resident shall be obtained for the purpose of Authentication in terms of section 29 of the Aadhaar Act, 2016. The purpose for which the Aadhar number and related information is being sought must be communicated clearly to the resident. Specifically, the manner in which the Aadhaar number will be collected, stored and used should be communicated to the residents.

3. The residents shall be informed of alternate mechanisms of identification/ verification as the instant Usage of Aadhaar authentication is permitted purely on voluntary basis.

    1. On accepting the details of ownership and property, No objection Certificate duly signed by the beneficiary and attested by the concerned RoR authority, confirming the details thereof will be accepted.

4. There shall not be a denial of any service/benefit to a resident on account of the failure of Aadhar-based authentication.

5. There shall not be a display of the Aadhaar number anywhere in the system and wherever required only the last four digits of the Aadhaar number may be displayed.

6. Aadhaar numbers, if stored, shall be stored securely in Aadhaar Data Vault in an encrypted manner as per the UIDAI Circular dated 25.07.2017 issued in this regard. Any sharing or movement of the Aadhaar number shall be done only in an encrypted manner.

7. Complete details of the e-KYC information of the resident shall not be displayed on the screen instead only necessary demographic details such as first name, year of birth, etc. may be displayed.

8. Bio-metric authentication of residents shall be performed only in assisted mode or a controlled environment by the operator registered/ verified by the Panchayat Raj and Rural Development Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh and Information Technology, Electronics & Communications Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh.

9. The Panchayat Raj & Rural Development, Government of Andhra Pradesh shall get its applications audited by CERT-In empanelled IS auditor and submit that report to the Unique Identification Authority of India. Any subsequent suggestion made by the Unique Identification Authority of India may also be complied with.

10. Authentication transactions done by the Panchayat Raj and Rural Development Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh or by Information Technology, Electronics & Communications Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh on behalf of Panchayat Raj & Rural Development Department, Andhra Pradesh for the purpose approved herein, shall be exempted from charges under the Aadhaar (Pricing of Aadhaar Authentication Services) Regulations, 2021.

11. The Panchayat Raj & Rural Development Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh may encourage the use of Iris-based biometric authentication, whenever required considering that it is more accurate, contactless and safe.

12. The Panchayat Raj & Rural Development Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh and the Information Technology, Electronics & Communications Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh shall comply with all the relevant provisions of the Aadhaar Act, its associated regulations and other instructions issued by the Unique Identification Authority of India from time to time.

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2. The notification shall come into effect on the date of its publication in the Ex-ordinary issue of the Andhra Pradesh Gazette, dated: -03-2024.

3. The Commissioner, Panchayat Raj and Rural Development, Andhra Pradesh through the entities concerned, shall take further action, accordingly.

SHASHI BHUSHAN KUMAR
PRL SECY (SBK), SECRETARY TO GOVT

To
The Commissioner of Printing Stationery and Stores Purchase, Vijayawada
(with a request to publish the aforesaid notification in the A.P. Ex-ordinary Gazette and supply 150 copies
The Commissioner, Panchayat Raj and Rural Development, A.P.Tadepalli, Guntur District.
The Information Technology, Electronics & Communications Department, A.P. Secretariat.

Copy to:
The Deputy Secretary, Ministry of Electronics & Information Technology, Government of India, New Delhi
The OSD to Dy.C.M. (PR & RD)
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